2. *Opening of Bangalore-Yesvantpur Section.*—On and from Monday the 7th January 1918 (subject to Government sanction), the Bangalore-Yesvantpur section of the B. C. L. Railway will be opened for traffic and trains will begin to run from and to Bangalore City from that date. The Down train will start from Bangalore City at 7/20 hours and arrive Yesvantpur at 7/43 hours and after leaving Yesvantpur at 7/47 hours run on to Bowringpet. Similarly, the Up train which is timed to arrive Yesvantpur at 19/18 hours will leave that station at 19/22 hours and run into Bangalore City where it is timed to arrive at 19/45 hours. For detailed timings, attention is invited to the Time and Fare Table exhibited at stations.

3. *Opening of Malleswaram Station.*—Malleswaram station situate between Bangalore City and Yesvantpur will be opened as a flag station from the 7th January 1918. For the present passengers and their luggage as well as parcels only will be booked to and from this station. For the arrival and departure timings of up and down trains, *vide* Time and Fare Table exhibited at stations.

B. VENCOBA RAO,
Traffic Manager.

MYSORE GOVERNMENT STATIONERY DEPOT.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF WRITING, PRINTING AND OTHER PAPERS.

Notice dated 17th December 1917.

Sealed tenders for the supply of writing, printing and other papers, required for the Government of Mysore, during the official year 1918-19, (commencing from 1st July 1918, will be received by the Superintendent of Stationery, Mysore Government, at his office at Bangalore, up to 1 P.M., on Monday 4th February 1918).

2. Tenders should be superscribed "Tender for the supply of writing, printing and other papers," and should be accompanied by samples and a receipt for a sum of Rs. 500, as earnest money deposited in any of the Mysore State Treasuries, or in the Bank of Mysore, Bangalore, or the Bank of Madras, Madras or Bangalore, or Messrs. Coutts & Co., London. No cash or currency notes will be accepted as earnest money. Earnest money will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

3. Samples of the required papers used by the Government of Mysore can be seen at the Mysore Government Stationery Depot, Bangalore, any day, except Sundays and holidays, between the hours of 11 A.M. and 4 P.M., or samples of the standard papers may be had on application to the Superintendent of Stationery, Mysore Government, Bangalore.

4. The successful tenderers will be required to execute a security bond in the prescribed form on 8 annas Mysore Government Stamp paper and to deposit a security of five per cent on the value of the papers for which the tender is accepted for the due fulfilment of the contract. This security may be in Government of India Pro-notes endorsed to the Dewan of Mysore, or in Mysore Government Savings Bank deposits made under para 9 of the Savings Bank Rules.

5. The schedule annexed hereunder shows probable requirements; and the quantities shown are only approximate. *Should additional supplies be required during the year, beyond the quantities stated in the tender form, contractors must be prepared to furnish such additional supplies at their tendered rates.* The contractors will be bound to make good to Government any loss which may arise from their failure to supply in time and thus put Government to the necessity of purchasing the articles specified in the contracts in the local Market at higher rates than those contracted for.

6. The contractors must make deliveries of papers, within three months from the date of orders from the Superintendent of Stationery, in quantities as may be required by him from time to time. It shall be in the discretion of the Superintendent to extend the time for such delivery, on reasonable cause being shown. All supplies will be subject to strict examination by the Superintendent of Stationery. Papers not up to quality and sample will be rejected and will remain at the risk of the contractors. *All papers must be entirely free from machanical wood.*

7. Payments for papers supplied will be made on bills to be furnished in duplicate after acceptance by the Superintendent of Stationery, such payments, falling due on or after 1st July 1918.

8. Tenders must be submitted on forms which can be had on application to the Superintendent of Stationery.

9. Tenders must specify the rate at which the tenderers agree to supply. These rates must include baling, shipping, carriage, and all other charges up to delivery at the City Railway Station, Bangalore.

10. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent at his office, at 3 P.M. on Monday 4th February 1918, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend.

11. All persons with the exception of items No. 5 of the schedule, should be water-marked "Government of Mysore." The purchase of overmakes of water-marked paper cannot be guaranteed, and they should in no case exceed *ten per cent of the ordered quantity*, but the contractors must bind themselves not to sell at any time such water-marked papers to the outside public.

12. The Superintendent reserves the right of rejecting any tender in whole or in part without assigning any reason therefor.

Schedule of Papers required for 1918-19 commencing from 1st July 1918.

No.	Names of papers			Approximate quantity required
				Reams
1	M. M. Azure laid Foolscap 13 lbs. ...	13½"×16½"	480 sheets per ream, edges to be cut and folded.	700
2	Do Double Foolscap 26 lbs. ...	17"×27"	In flat reams of 480 sheets per ream.	800
3	Draft Foolscap 10 lbs.	13½"×16½"	480 sheets per ream, to be folded neatly.	9,000
4	Blotting paper, Pink, Demy 24 lbs. ...	17½"×22½"		300
5	Brown Cartridge 30 lbs.	22½"×29"		900
6	Badamy Demy 16 lbs.	17½"×22½"	To be supplied flat, 500 sheets per ream.	4,500
7	Do Foolscap 16 lbs.	13½"×17"		150
8	Do Double Foolscap 18 lbs. ...	17"×27"		500
9	Do Cartridge Demy 48 lbs.... ...	18"×22"		80
10	Printing Royal 25 lbs	20"×25"		500
11	Do Demy 18 lbs.	17½"×22½"		4,000
12	Do Double Foolscap 24 lbs. ...	17"×27"		5,000
13	Do Quad Foolscap 48 lbs. ...	34"×27"		500
14	Do do 16 lbs. ...	17"×27"		4,500
15	Litho Printing Royal 25 lbs. ...	25"×20"	... ...	20

Remarks.—(1) Items Nos. 1 to 4, 6 to 14 to be water-marked "Government of Mysore."
(2) Item No. 3 should be neatly baled in good and strong gunny and supplied as under:—
78 bales of 50 reams each.
75 bales of 40 reams each.
70 bales of 30 reams each.
(3) Item No. 3 should be supplied in bales of 4 reams each, strongly baled in good gunny.

D. B. RAMACHANDRA MUDALIAR,
Superintendent of Stationery.

CENTRAL RECRUITMENT COMMITTEE.

Dated 19th December 1917.

Statement showing the number of recruits received at the Central Concentration Camp, Bangalore, during the week ending Saturday the 15th December 1917.

Name of District	No.	Caste	No.
Bangalore	20	Christians	3
Mysore	10	Mahomedans	10
Hassan	...	Brahmins	1
Kadur	...	Rajputs	1
Shimoga	2	Mahrattas	6
Chitaldrug	3	Pariahs	1
Tumkur	...	Vokkaligars	4
Kolar	4	Lingayets	2
Other agencies ...	2	Other Hindus	13
Total ...	41	Total ...	41

T. E. JAYARAMA IYER,
Secretary.